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For: Method for Specifically Detecting Tumor Cells and Their Precursors in Uterine Cervical Smears by Simultaneously Measuring at Least Two Different Molecular Markers

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REPLY AND AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed June 23, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of the present application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing a response to the Office Action for three (3) month(s) from September 23, 2005 to December 23, 2005. Please charge the fee for the three-month extension of time to Deposit Account No. 13-3372.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend the claims as follows:

Please cancel claims 9-11.

Please amend claims 1 and 4, as shown in the attached sheets (page 6).

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